



**Sampson Arts Council (SAC)
2017 Juried Photography Show
May 25 – July 13, 2017**

JURIED PHOTOGRAPHY SHOW RULES

PHOTOGRAPHY SHOW DATES:

May 25 – July 13, 2017

Artist Reception: Thursday, May 25, 2017, 5:30-7:30pm at the Victor R. Small House

ELIGIBILITY:

Open to all artists 14 yrs. and older. All work must be for sale. Work must be original and executed in the past two years. A maximum of (3) works may be submitted, and a maximum of (2) works may be selected. Work must not have been exhibited in previous Sampson Arts Council Juried Art Exhibitions.

SHOW LOCATION:

Sampson Arts Council, Victor R. Small House, 709 College St., Clinton, NC 28328

SUBMISSION DEADLINE

All entries must be received by April 20, 2017, regardless of postmark.

REQUIRED ENTRY FORMAT

Submitted images must be on CD or USB flash drive.

- The preferred format for submitted images is in TIFF format @ 300 dpi, 1800 pixels in longest dimension.
- If you cannot generate TIFF files, we will accept JPEG files at highest quality, 300dpi, 1800 pixels in longest dimension.

ENTRY FEE

\$25.00 for up to (3) images; images will be reviewed by the judge, and artists will be notified of entries chosen, maximum of (2). Fee may be paid by check or money order payable to "Sampson Arts Council."

LABEL CD or USB flash drive with YOUR NAME and "PHOTO 2017."

LABEL EACH IMAGE FILE

Last Name, First Name, and # corresponding to entry # on Entry Form (i.e. Doe_John_03.jpg).

- Do NOT imbed any information on the image file itself, such as name, copyright, logo, etc., to keep judging anonymous.
 - All images will be judged individually, regardless of whether they are part of a series.
- Fill our ENTRY FORM.

DELIVERY OF ENTRIES

Mail or hand-deliver entry **CD or flash drive** together with Entry Form and fee by **April 20, 2017** to:
Sampson Arts Council
709 College St.
Clinton, NC 28328

- *Please adequately protect CD or flash drive from being damaged in mail or handling.*
- Signature-accepted delivery requirements are NOT available, so please indicate on your package that a signature is NOT required.

- If you would like your CDs or flash drives returned to you, please include a self-addressed stamped envelope sufficient for their safe return. All digital submissions will be held on file for use in SAC's online galleries of the juror-selected works.

NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE

Entrants will be notified via email of their acceptance into the exhibit on or about May 8, 2017.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

By submitting the JURIED PHOTOGRAPHY SHOW ENTRY FORM, you agree that:

- You accept all the terms and conditions of these Rules and the Call for Entry.
- The images submitted are your own work and that there is no copyright infringement. SAC will not be held liable for any infringement of rights that might arise in connection with the jurying, displaying, or sale of any image.
- Work must not have been exhibited in previous Sampson Arts Council Juried Exhibitions.
- Use Rights: All artists maintain copyright on their images. If your image is selected for exhibit, you grant SAC the right to use that image for the purpose of marketing, calls for entry, the SAC website, online exhibits, printed catalogs, or other SAC programs without further contact or compensation from SAC.
- Sampson Arts Council is not responsible for damage to or loss of any artwork.

SALES and COMMISSION

Sampson Arts Council will handle sales of the artwork, and take a 30% commission on works sold from the exhibit.

USAGE RIGHTS OF SUBMISSIONS

The artist grants SAC permission to photograph and reproduce any art for publicity and educational purposes. SAC reserves the right to refuse, remove, or reject any art. Entry of art constitutes agreement with conditions described herein.

PREPARATION OF ACCEPTED WORKS FOR EXHIBIT (Please read carefully, *as improperly prepared works will not be exhibited*)

- All photographs accepted for the exhibit must be delivered properly prepared for gallery display in the Photo Exhibit, with hanging wire or other suitable ready-to-hang device. **"Sawtooth" hangers are NOT acceptable!**
- The following kinds of presentations **are** acceptable:
 - Framed with or without mats.
 - Gallery wrapped canvas.
 - Photographs on metal panel.
 - Standouts.
- **No works may be larger than 24" x 36" overall, including frame.**
- The Sampson Arts Council is not responsible for adjustments to poorly framed or prepared art. *Improperly prepared works will not be exhibited.*
- **CAUTION: DO NOT** write on the back of the photographic print itself, which could cause an impression, or bleed through to the front of the finished work!
- **Label each submitted piece on the back with the tags included in the entry form.**

DELIVERY OF ACCEPTED WORKS FOR EXHIBIT

Accepted works must be hand-delivered to the Sampson Arts Council at 709 College St. in Clinton during the following drop-off hours: **Friday, May 19, 2017 10 AM – 5:30PM**

ANNOUNCEMENT OF AWARDS

Awards will be announced at the exhibit opening, when they will be presented in person.

JUDGE: TBD

AWARDS:

The following awards and ribbons are presented at the discretion of the judge:

Best in Show.....\$300.00
1st Place.....\$200.00
2nd Place.....\$100.00
3rd Place.....SAC Family Membership
Honorable Mention.....Ribbon

GALLERY HOURS:

The Small House Gallery is open Tuesday-Friday from 10am until 2pm and by appointment.

Call 910-596-2533 for an appointment.

Please consider assisting in the success of the show by volunteering for gallery-sitting during open hours.

ARTWORK PICKUP:

Pick up your unsold works at the Sampson Arts Council, 709 College St. in Clinton, Friday, July 14, 2017, 10:00am – 5:00pm.

- The artist or his/her designee must personally retrieve all works. SAC will not be responsible for packing, delivering or shipping works.
- Any works not retrieved by the published last retrieval time will be subject to a \$10 per piece storage fee. If not retrieved within 30 days, the works will become part of the SAC permanent collection.

CHECKLIST

Use this checklist before you submit your entries:

- *Please adequately protect CD or flash drive from being damaged in mail or handling.*
- Label submitted CD with your name, contact email and "Photo 2017" containing up to (3) photo submission files (each photo file named: last name_first name_entry form line #, i.e. Jones_Jane_03.jpg)
- Completed and sign Entry Form

Your Entry Fee:

- Check or money order payable to Sampson Arts Council, with memo "Photo2017." \$25.00 for up to (3) images; images will be reviewed by the judge, and artists will be notified of entries chosen (maximum of TWO).
- Mail submission so that it is **received** (regardless of postmark) on or before April 20, 2017, or hand-deliver by 5:00 PM.

If paying by cash or are concerned about the security of the delivery, bring your entire entry submission to the single-time drop-off point indicated under **DELIVERY OF ENTRIES**.